Local Government By Election – Thursday 11 December 2008

North Ayrshire Council- Electoral Ward 7 – Kilbirnie and Beith

Declaration of Result

I, Ian Snodgrass, being Returning Officer for the North Ayrshire Council Electoral Ward 7 – Kilbirnie and Beith, declare that **ANTHEA DICKSON, SCOTTISH NATIONAL PARTY (SNP)**, is elected as a Councillor to the said Electoral Ward.

Total Electorate	11,232
Total Votes Cast	2806
Percentage Poll	24.98%

Of the total votes cast, the following were rejected as void and not counted as a result

Reason	Number of Papers	
a) Which does not bear or contain an official mark;		
b) On which the figure '1' standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate		
c) On which the figure '1' standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate		
d) Writing or mark from which voter can be identified	0	
e) Unmarked or void for uncertainty	2	
Total Ballot Papers Rejected	20	

Number of Valid Votes	2786
Quota	1394

Transfer of Ballots at Each Stage

		Stage 1	Stage 2 Exclusion Of McDaid		Stage3 Exclusion Of Hutton	
CANDIDATES	DESCRIPTION	1 ^{s⊤} Preferences				
			Transferred	Total	Transferred	Total
DICKSON, ANTHEA	SCOTTISH NATIONAL PARTY (SNP)	1363	17	1380	35	1415
HUTTON, LEWIS	SCOTTISH LIBERAL DEMOCRATS	94	10	104	-104	0
MCDAID, JAMES	SOCIALIST LABOUR PARTY	68	-68	0		
MCKAY, GORDON	SCOTTISH LABOUR PARTY CANDIDATE	939	17	956	16	972
NEVILL, TED	SCOTTISH CONSERVATIVE AND UNIONIST	322	2	324	18	342
	Non Transferable		22	22	35	57
Totals		2786		2786		2786

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